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—OF—
Wheat & Oats
—IN—
Sunny Alberta
In 1906
ACCORDING TO
GOVERNMENT
STATISTICS

Year II., No. 4.

GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1908.

\$1.50 Per Year

THE LIBERAL MEETING

Messrs. Simmons, Riley and Marshall Talk Politics

Tuesday was a red letter day for the Gleichen Liberals, indeed they had their own way in everything—the Conservatives evidently having fully determined not to offer opposition to them in any way.

Save Hon. W. H. Cushing all of the political speakers invited for the meeting were present, Mr. Simmons arriving Monday evening and Messrs. Riley and Marshall Tuesday morning.

In the afternoon a trip was made to Bow river, and a brief inspection made of the new bridge under construction.

In the evening the hall was well filled with an enthusiastic audience, when Mr. J. M. Clark, Jr., as chairman, called the meeting to order and in a few well chosen words explained the object of the gathering and introduced the speakers of the evening. He called first upon Mr. E. H. Riley, Gleichen's representative in the Provincial House.

Mr. Riley said he was pleased to have the opportunity of again meeting the citizens of Gleichen, especially on the invitation of the Liberals of this district and to give them a brief account of his stewardship as their servant at Edmonton. He was pleased to note the splendid growth of the town and district since his last visit here and most sincerely hoped these conditions would continue to improve. He extended thanks to those men who had kindly placed conveyances at their disposal to visit the new bridge site at the river in the afternoon. He complimented the Gleichen Board of Trade on the good work that body was doing and admitted the Board had been of great service to him in assisting him to obtain non-political advice in many matters relative to the district.

Mr. Riley was particularly pleased to be present with Mr. Simmons, who had been his mate at Edmonton ever since the electors had seen fit to send him there as representative and at considerable length gave reasons why the electors should use their influence and votes to elect Mr. Simmons their representative in the Dominion House.

Continuing his remarks to Provincial affairs Mr. Riley took up each department and in a very clear and concise manner dealt with them, giving his own attitude on the different questions that were of most importance.

He thought Gleichen's claim was a very strong one for the Agricultural College and that the delay to obtain information as to how many pupils could be obtained would not in the least effect our opportunity of eventually securing its location. He had not only secured \$35,000 last year for the bridge but this year had secured sufficient for its completion.

This was Mr. W. C. Simmons' first appearance in Gleichen and he proved a very fluent speaker, although at times his throat gave him trouble. He started off by paying some very complimentary remarks to the town and district and referring to the pleasure he felt at seeing so many ladies present. Then launching out into a discussion of Dominion politics generally said he wanted it plainly understood that he desired the coming election carried through on fair lines and hoped no personal matters would be brought forward.

His opponent was a friend of his and he knew him to be a gentleman. He hoped the campaign would be confined to the discussion of the issues most important to the welfare of the Dominion generally and this riding in particular. In a very able manner he discussed trade, immigration and many other subjects, quoting statistics in abundance.

In conclusion he hoped again to meet with the electors of Gleichen and further discuss their interests, and when the time for voting came if they chose to elect him their representative he would promise to do his very best to serve their interests at all times.

Mr. Simmons referred to the good work Mr. Riley had done in the Legislature for this riding, saying, "Mr. Riley is the man for Gleichen."

Mr. Duncan Marshall, editor of the Edmonton Bulletin, is a very fluent, pleasing and witty speaker. He complimented Gleichen on having a man like Mr. Riley for representative and said he had a wonderful record for the time he had been in the House, and then at some length discussed provincial affairs.

Mr. Simmons, he said, was his old school mate and they had picked potatoes almost in the next row on their fathers farms in the good old county of Bruce, when bare-footed boys at play. He would very much like to see Mr. Simmons elected for he knew he would make a good representative. Mr. Marshall then raked over the Conservative party and leaders, told of the wonderful things the Liberals had accomplished since they came into power and told some good stories.

The meeting broke up with deafening cheers for each of the speakers and a vote of thanks for the chairman.

After the meeting the speakers and about twenty others partook of a good luncheon at the Star Bakery and exchanged views until the trains came to take the visitors to their homes.

Value of Small Fruits

Few of our readers realize what an advantage it would be to have a good garden in which a fair amount of ground was devoted to small fruits. Currants, gooseberries, strawberries, plums, crabapples, and also several of the hardier varieties of apples all do well in many portions of the west. We know of places where strawberries are grown quite extensively in Alberta and Saskatchewan, and also where the other fruits mentioned are grown very successfully. It is always of advantage to provide your orchard with a good wind-break, although we have seen apple trees bearing and looking well without any protection in some localities. Fresh home-grown fruit makes a splendid addition to the farmer's table, and besides is very healthful. We strongly advise our readers going in much more extensively for small fruits, but as we have said, first provide the shelter and also see that the soil is well prepared before planting.

Bassano News

The C. P. R. surveyors are busy staking out a new addition to the town-site.

Geo. Gow paid a flying visit to Bassano last week.

Win. Oscar was a guest at the Bassano stopping house last week.

Gardening is one of the main features at Bassano just now.

Rev. Mr. Lynd arrived from Toronto and conducted his first service in the Foresters' Hall Sunday evening, when a large congregation was in attendance. The Presbyterians will now endeavor to build a church in this town.

Pete H. Bruce and bride arrived from England.

Public Meeting This Morning

A meeting has been arranged for in the Foresters' Hall at 10:30 o'clock this morning—Thursday—at which J. B. Dennis, Assistant 2nd Vice-Pres. of the C. P. R., C. W. Peterson, manager of C. P. Irrigation Colonization Co., and others will address the people of Gleichen and district. While the particular object of the meeting is not announced it is stated the meeting will be of interest to the farmers and people generally of this district.

However, whatever the object may be it is quite certain that these gentlemen have good reasons for meeting the populace of this place and they should be given a good attendance and a fair hearing. Their interest are always the interests and well-fare of the country and there are many things the people of this district would like to hear their opinion on.

TOWN AND DISTRICT

Rev. Mr. Fraser started out Saturday to drive all the way in his new mission field at Cypress Hill, a distance of 100 miles. Mr. Fraser was in charge of the Presbyterian mission work here for about five years and has labored most earnestly under the most difficult circumstances that fall to men of his profession in a new country. It has felt him to ride thirty to fifty miles in the day and to stormiest weather that he has ever experienced and yet he has done it and even made light of his arduous task. These are the things that mean for him the friendship and esteem of the entire community and his goodness will live long in the mind of his friends. Mr. Fraser is a highly educated gentleman, who took a keen interest in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the people and district. The Call joins in wishing Mr. Fraser all the good things he could possibly wish for himself.

The citizens of Gleichen are invited to a public meeting in the school at 8 o'clock on the evening of Thursday April 23, to consider the advisability of organizing a literary society. The object of the movement is to discuss literature and also questions of general interest political, social and scientific. It is suggested that such a society meet fortnightly; that once a month some point be studied and his message discovered; and that once a month a popular subject be presented by means of a debate, or paper followed by general discussion. All who sympathize with the suggestion are requested to consider the pros and cons on the 23rd inst. and to come bristled of ways and means.

The Call has arranged with Manager E. L. Richardson, to issue a "Special Dominion Exhibition Supplement" with The Call, containing descriptive articles on the various exhibits and attractions, besides giving most of the prize list. In order to get copies of this special number distributed far and near we would ask all who want them to send in orders at once. The price per copy will be as usual, 5 cents. The exact date of the publication cannot be named at present.

Messrs. Millie & Wilson and John Duford last week shipped two carloads of cattle to Winnipeg, which were admitted to be as fine a bunch as ever shipped from this point. Some of these steers have been stall-fed and attracted considerable attention.

The Call craves the indulgence of our readers this issue as we are preparing to move into our new palace and find it quite impossible to get the type "set" for all the news we would like to give. The green grass is showing up.

Born—At Gleichen, on Wednesday, April 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Marshall twins, two girls.

It is now the Conservatives' turn to hold forth.

T. Martenson arrived Monday from Brush, Col.

Tomorrow is Good Friday and a public holiday. There some talk of arranging a gun shoot.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Biggs and Miss Carson came in Monday from Rosebud creek. Miss Carson has gone to Calgary, where she has accepted a position as stenographer.

Gleichen has been unusually quiet the past week, owing to the breaking up of the ice on the Bow river, which has kept the farmers of the south from reaching town. The new bridge will remedy this circumstance from occurring in the future.

P. J. McBeath failed to arrive with the Dorothy mail last week, owing to the ice breaking up on Red Deer river, which made it impossible to cross the river. However, he got the ferry in operation and arrived on time this week.

Mrs. J. A. E. Beaupre gave a card party Saturday evening in honor of her mother, Mrs. Marshall, who leaves today for her home in Calgary. A most pleasant evening was spent. Mrs. Evans winning first prize and Miss Tingle the only other prize.

A prairie fire started north of Strathmore Saturday and has burned eastward ever since and is now said to be north of Medicine Hat. The fire has burned north to the Red Deer river in places and done much damage to the ranchers. Fortunately it has not crossed the main irrigation canal and come southward, which has saved the farmers perhaps greater damage than that sustained by the ranchers and farmers north. At present it is impossible to estimate the extent of the damage.

MISCELLANEOUS

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at Mr. Beaupre's, in Gleichen; 3rd Sun-
day at Mr. T. Stewart's, at west Ar-
wood creek. Services are held every
Sunday at the South Camp Mission, near
Cluny.

Saint Andrew's Church of England.—
Services every Sunday evening at 7:30
p.m. Second Sunday in the month,
service of Holy communion at 11 a.m.
Fourth Sunday in the month, Livery
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W. PARK EVANS,

Publisher and Proprietor.

Gleichen, Alberta, April 16, 1908.

Farmer and Phone

In view of the Alberta Government's
endeavor to supply the farmers with a
telephone service the following from the
Western Municipal News is of interest:

How much better it would be to have
a telephone in the home, whereby the
members of the household would be
brought in touch with the outside world,
thereby enjoying its manifold advantages
and opportunities. True, the head of the
house and his assistants who work all
day in the fields with him may not grasp
the truth that this telephone would be
of value to them, but how differently
the proposition appeals to the mother
and housewife, who, in all probability,
has some loved member of the family
attending school or college at a distance
and who would greatly enjoy the boon
of an occasional conversation with the
scholar or absent member. Further, as
the housewife is usually entrusted with
the marketing of the dairy and poultry
produce of the farm, she will be enabled
by the use of the telephone to obtain
market, and prices for their products.
These advantages it must be remembered
are not confined to the household,
but extend, to all branches of agricul-
tural activity. Usually the farmer dis-
plays shrewd business knowledge by
accepting the preferred facilities for pro-
tecting his crops, building and life by
insurance. Time was when even these
institutions were looked upon as luxuries
to be enjoyed by the favored few, but
how different it is today and the same
progressive arguments in favor of insur-
ance may be likewise applied to the
telephone. As a means of protection
and convenience in all matters of daily
life the telephone stands alone and un-
surpassed as the greatest invention and
institution that has ever been placed
within reach of all. It may be said by
some that they are at the present unable
to stand the financial responsibility at-
tendant upon the installation of a sys-
tem of those instruments. This is no
real or valid reason why they should
obstruct any formulated plan along these
lines. Any argument of the sort might
justly be compared to placing the 'cart
before the horse', for reasons enu-
merated above, for instead of the telephone
being a luxury it is an asset to the farm,
for a means of obtaining immediate in-
formation as to the best possible pre-
vailing prices for all classes of farm
produce. All things considered, is it
not reasonable to argue in favor of an
institution that is here to stay, and to
become more and more a factor of our
daily life?

DOINGS AT MILO

Carl Stumff is home again for a short
rest.

A. B. Penn plans to spend the sum-
mer at Clareholm.

George Greaves is working overtime
putting in his grain.

Mr. Thos Scott is doing some fencing
on his place, as a side line.

Life continues to be a summer holiday
in Milo! But there is work ahead.

Martin O'Connor, the silver tongue
orator of Smoke Valley, leaves shortly
for Gladys to round up his cattle.

Miss Asgard is of the opinion that
the Sunny Alberta weather is unexcelled
and is far ahead of the Wisconsin
brand.

The married women have started a
campaign to exterminate, or at least,
eliminate the bachelor. The bachelors
have until May first to get married or
failing to do so, their homesteads will
be confiscated!

Mr. Preston Mills is congratulating
himself on the extent of his summer
fallow which he is rapidly working
over. As soon as he starts drilling in
his grain it is predicted he will go so
fast that the soil will be scorched in
places.

Pleasant Ridge Club

In the two weeks just past, the Club
had the pleasure of meeting one Wed-
nesday evening at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Wm. Brown at Queenstown. The
gathering was composed largely of the
bachelor element of the district, the re-
lationship of the gentler to the sterner sex
being about one to six. E. H. Small-
combe rendered several classical piano
selections, A. B. Penn two of his hu-
morous readings and Bob Rose several
popular songs in his inimitable style.
After the debate, which was of a humor-
ous character, the floor was cleared for
dancing which was participated in until
the "wee sma'" hours of the morning.
Owing to the unusual condition which
existed a number of the men volunteered
to act as ladies in the dances. This cir-
cumstance in itself was productive of
much fun.

The Wednesday evening following we
were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs.
G. Hoerle, where the subject discussed
was, Resolved: "That this locality is
better for grain growing than for stock
raising." A. Alton was leader of the
rangers, and M. O'Connor of the oppo-
site side. The judges brought in a ver-
dict for the affirmative. The general
opinion was that it is better for mixed
farming. Mr. Rose acted as chairman
most acceptably. The musical numbers
were furnished by Mr. Smallcombe, the
songs by Messrs. O'Connor and Rose,
and the readings by Messrs. Dalton and
Hudson. The dance which followed was
participated in by all, the ladies of whom
there was a goodly number entered in-
to it with great zest. Mr. Joe Nester,
during the interim after luncheon, enter-
tained those present with a clever ex-
hibition of buck and wing dancing.

The advent of a bachelor in this dis-
trict occasions not the slightest ripple
on the social waters, but come a family
and all the contrary is true. The latest
acquisition in this respect, in the com-
munity, is the Halfpenny's, just arriv-
ing from North Dakota. It was in their
honor that Mrs. Thos. Scott and Mrs.
Preston Mills gave a reception Wednes-
day evening at the home of the former.
The Halfpenny's are old friends of both
families. Among the guests were Mr.
and Mrs. G. Hoerle, Miss Hoerle, Mr.
and Mrs. A. Begg and family, Mr. and
Mrs. Godkin, Mr. and Mrs. Winch, the
Long family, Miss Asgard, Miss Her-
mann and drivers and sundry bachelors
who in their present unattached state
cannot aspire to the distinction of being
mentioned.

The club members present provided a
varied program which was augmented
by several readings and songs by the
pupils of Mrs. Stuart. The subject of
debate was, Resolved: "That the negro
contributes more to the welfare of the
country than the Indian." While the
defenders of the Indian put up a valiant
fight their side went down to defeat,
the decision being awarded to the sup-
porters of the negro. Several games
were played among which was a de-
scriptive guessing contest. The winner,
Miss Hermann, received the prize of a
box of bonbons. Mr. O'Connor who
by the brilliance of his non-achievement
secured the booby prize, a stick of
candy.

After luncheon was served—in this
particular the Club members are con-
noisseurs and they said that the viands
would have made the chefs in Sherry's
in New York and Rector's in Chicago
envious—Mr. Mills, the able acting
chairman, introduced the toastmaster,
Mr. Smallcombe, who made a very
witty and charming toast.

In responding Mr. Halfpenny ex-
pressed his pleasure in being present
and he thanked the hostesses and the
guests in behalf of himself, wife and
family for the welcome given them.

The rest of the toasts were well received.
The Club at this time appreciates the
privilege it has of thanking the ladies
for the generous efforts which they have
extended in the Club's behalf, and not
only as a whole but individually, is
grateful for the courtesies shown.

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TRACKS IN SNOW.

A Tramp in Canada in Winter and Some
of the Things the Observer Saw by the Way.

A few days before the recent January thaw I started for a tramp through the snow-covered woods. The thermometer stood at 10 below zero, but, as the snow was 20 inches deep on the level, the exertion of getting through it made me glowing warm before I had gone half a mile, and when occasionally I got out of the wind the air seemed almost springlike.

Whether we enjoy winter or dislike it depends largely on whether we are prepared for it or not. Cold weather has no terrors for us if we know that we are not going to be cold in it, and half the nuisance of snow is gone if we are sure that we can go where we like without getting our feet or clothing wet.

Home Precautions.

In other words, with warm clothing and a pair of rubber boots, or snowshoes if the snow is deep enough, there is nothing to prevent any healthy person from enjoying himself in the worst weather. That winter can turn out. For a winter walk in the country an overcoat is a mistake; it trails in the snow and continually gets in the way. What one requires is some form of clothing which will permit perfect freedom of movement.

With such clothing one can afford to dress lightly for, as every cross-country athlete knows, a man can keep himself warm in zero weather with practically no clothing at all if he is allowed to keep moving at his best pace.

A pair of gloves, however, will go a long way toward making one enjoy a walk on a bitterly cold day. Not kid gloves, but a good big pair, which allow for a generous air space around your hands inside, and with mittens which come over the cuffs of your coat, and keep out not only the wind but the snow.

And if you are going alone in bad weather, it is a wise precaution to tell your friends, which direction you intend to take, and the length of time you expect to be gone. When the snow is deep and the air intensely cold, a sprained knee or a broken leg may mean death, if assistance does not arrive in time.

A Red Squirrel at Home.

I had not gone far into the woods when, in passing a low-growing wild apple tree, I noticed that the surface of the snow beneath it had been disturbed in an irregular manner. It was furrowed, and here and there there were holes leading into little runways, which extended downward as far as I could see. The holes were much too large to have been made by a meadow mouse, and quite too small for a muskrat, and I doubt if I should have discovered what animal had made them, if the impudent head of a red squirrel had not appeared suddenly at one of the holes.

It was a look of astonishment on his face, and a small apple in his mouth. He dropped the latter on the snow in front of him, but retained the former for about five seconds, or until, with a frightened squeal, he darted to the invisible regions below.

The little apple, lying upon the snow, told a pathetic story of the little fellow's hunger, and of his efforts to satisfy it, and I wondered if he had any sense keen enough to tell him where each individual nut lay, or whether he tunneled blindly, with the hope of finding out one occasionally.

Paths Made by Rabbits.

Further on I came to a stretch of half-open country, covered with barberry and other bushes. And here I found the paths which the rabbits had made the night before, and all along these paths the twigs of the bushes under which they ran had been cut off clean, as though with a penknife, by the sharp front teeth of the rabbits.

And thus the snow, which had done the animals an injury in one way, by covering up their food upon the ground, served them well in another way, by lifting them to a height at which they could crop the tender twigs nearer the top of the bushes.

The grouse, too, had made use of the deep snow as a platform, from which to pick the barberries. In spite of their natural snowshoes, the birds had sunk quite deep in many places, and their trail was little more than a gutter.

And as I passed one of the bushes I saw an old bird's nest which had been roofed by a white-footed mouse, and as I touched a twig, the tenant put his head out of the door to see what the matter was. But I stood very still, and presently he went in again, perhaps to curl up and go to sleep again until the fall of night should make it comparatively safe for him to go out in search of food and to leave his little trail on the surface of the moonlit snow.

But the most delightful incident of my walk occurred when I was nearing home. A flock of hungry chickadees flew into a maple tree above me, perhaps knowing that I had something to do with the many square meals they have enjoyed this winter. One of them hopped to a branch close above my head, and I felt in my pocket for some broken nuts.

Taking off my glove, I extended the hand containing the offering, and I had his earnest attention in a moment. Down he came close to me crying "Dee-dee-dee," and peering into my face with his beady black eyes, as much as to say, "Is it all right? Come now, is it?" But without waiting for a reply, he flew upon my finger, calmly picked up a piece of nut, and flew back into the maple tree. With my finger delicately tingling, from that delicate morsel, I went home feeling as though I had shaken hands with a fairy.—Ernest Harold Baynes, in Toronto Sunday World.

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want of his kindness and hospitality will
be greatly felt by his friends and ranch-
ers of this district. We all wish him
every success in his new vocation.

We are glad to announce that High
Eagle, the Indian from Gleichen, who
has been out in the Hand Hills hunting
wolves for sometime has bagged two
wolves and their young, nine in all.
Credit is due to Mr. Hyde for his
prompt and careful selection of a man
who is capable of hunting those fer-
ocious animals that have been killing
so many cattle this winter. Some of
our would-be wolf-hunters will have
to take a leaf out of High Eagle's book
and carefully read the same.

The new district of Dorothy is becom-
ing famed, by one of the local lights
of pugilistic fame, who is sending out
challenges to meet him on the mat. But
he omits to send the boy Bill word of
his aggressive intentions. It is hoped
he will be more sportsmanlike and
wait until the old man gets over his
indisposition and we think he will get
a chance to redeem his lost prestige.
The boy Bill anxiously awaits the
result.

Our Mormon friend is getting rather
pugnacious in his remarks since he has
been prohibited from cutting timber for
sale and is vowing corporal punishment
on those who informed on him. Be-
ware, ye gentiles, of the Hand Hills
lest this nincompoop smite thee with
his loaded black snake. We think our
Mormon friend should have his photo
taken before he starts operations on the
gentiles as his physiognomy might un-
dergo a transformation scene before he
has finished chastising his friends, the
gentiles. We also advise our friend to
shut up the blind pig for fear it might
be caught by one of the red-coat
wanderers.

The story is going around that one of
the boys of the blue-blood type was in
love last fall but such was not the case
for after analyzing carefully the cause
of the trouble it was found that he was
suffering from a parasite. A recovery
has been achieved by the judicious
application of water and inunction.
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Some of the boys who have been un-
der treatment for accidents and repairs
are doing nicely. When wild seed must
be sown the old saying "Sow it when
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District No. 4 to be held at Calgary on Satur-
day, May 9th, 1908, at 3 o'clock P.M.

Michael Soper, for renewal of hotel license
in respect of the Airline Hotel, situated on lots
17, 18 and 19, Block A, Aldridge.

Matthew R. Handley for renewal of hotel
license in respect of the Alberta Hotel, situated
on lots 3, 4 and part of 5, Block 2, Crossfield.

Edward Johnson for renewal of hotel license
in respect of the Dominion Hotel situated on the
northwest quarter of section 24, township 22,
range 1, west 3 Meridian, Midnapore.

W. J. Thompson for renewal of hotel license
in respect of Languon hotel, situated on lot 9,
Block 6, Languon.

Benjamin Wishart for renewal of hotel license
in respect of the Palace Hotel, situated on lots
17, 18, 19 and 20, Block 2, Gleichen.

John Jaques for renewal of hotel license in
respect of the Gleichen Hotel situated on lots 5
and 6, Block 3, Gleichen.

Freeman and Walker for renewal of hotel
license in respect of the Hotel Astoria, situat-
ed on lots 22, 23, 24 and 25, Block 2, Drew's Reserve,
High River.

Charles W. McMillan, for renewal of hotel
license in respect of the Hotel Oxford, situat-
ed on lots 1, 2, and 3, Block 13, High River.

John W. Routledge for a renewal of hotel
license in respect of the Alberta Hotel situated on
lots 9, 10 and 11, in Block 4, High River.

High River Trading Co. for renewal of whole-
sale license in respect of the premises situate
on Limoges reserve, west side of West Railway
St., High River.

George H. Lloyd for renewal of hotel license
in respect of the King Edward Hotel situated on
lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 1, Strathmore.

Lair Bros. for renewal of hotel license in re-
spect of the Rocky Mountain View Hotel situated
on lot 1, Block A, Shepard.

E. Macwood for renewal of hotel license in
respect of the Alberta Hotel situated on lots 1, 2,
3, 4, 15, 16, and 17, Block 6, Okotoks.

H. and A. Patterson for renewal of hotel
license in respect of the Grand Central Hotel
situated on lots 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37, Block C,
Okotoks.

Henry J. Proctor for renewal of hotel license
in respect of the Royal Hotel situated on lots 6, 7
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